



# ANS Early Correspondence 1903

**Extent:** 31 items: 29 letters; 2 other documents.

**Part of:** American Numismatic Society, Early Correspondence, 1858-1908.

**Noted Writers:** Wilbur Brown, [Grand Army of the Republic]; William Frederick Havermeyer.

**Main Correspondents:** Bauman L. Belden; Andrew C. Zabriskie; Henry Russell Drowne; J. Sanford Saltus; Herbert Valentine; William Poillon.

**Other Correspondents:** [Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, PA Commandery]; Champe S. Andrews; [Bailey, Banks & Biddle Co.]; Wilbur Brown, [Grand Army of the Republic]; Edward D. Adams; Macrae Sykes; William Frederick Havermeyer; Capt. A. Herbert Van Deusen, [Masonic Veteran Association of the District of Columbia]; Oliver M. Wilson; Hugo O. Greenhood; Horatio C. King; [Baltimore Badge & Novelty Co.]; John J. Murray, Public Decorator, Artistic Booths Designed for Fairs; [The Knickerbocker Press].

**Noted Subjects:** John Kensett Olyphant replaces Bauman L. Belden as ANS Secretary, for 1903; Bauman L. Belden remains ANS Recording Secretary: [a majority of the letters in the folder are still addressed to him]; The collection of insignia from the Grand Army of the Republic; Paper of Bauman Belden on "American Insignia"; The ANS issues its Amerigo Vespucci medal; Speech of ANS member Captain Champe S. Andrews, at Woolsey Hall, New Haven.

## **Noted Documents:**

- Proposals/Letters of New/Life/Active Members: William F. Havermeyer
- Member Resignation Letters: [W.T. Salter?]; A.T. Schauffler.
- Saltus to Belden: Hopes he has a paper ready to read before the Society [Jan. 3]
- Saltus to Belden: Needs help recalling the name of Victor D. Brenner's paper he read last spring, "in the old rooms..." [Jan. 5]
- "Zabriskie: [From your Annual Report] "I have scratched out the words "ladies as well as gentlemen." We now have so many ladies on the roll, that it seems unnecessary to mention the fact that lady guests are welcome." [Jan. 5]
- Drowne to Belden: Re: the resignation of W.T. Salter, and the "peculiar" nature of his joining, in that his wife paid all "his dues, as she wanted him to be a member, because she was interested in these meetings at which papers were read, etc...." [Jan. 8]



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- Poillon to Belden: Reports that a large and valuable collection of [Greek] coins is to be sold soon in Europe, and asks for aid in compiling a list of names and addresses of prominent collectors [Feb. 16]
- Bailey, Banks & Biddle Co. wants a list of Societies with insignia “aside from those we manufacture” [May 7]
- Drowne to Belden: Has been very ill, with two back to back cases of typhoid fever [May 12]
- Wilbur Brown, of the Grand Army of the Republic, [G.A.R.], will ask military societies to send badges to the ANS [May 20]
- Macrae Sykes is sorry to have to refuse Belden’s invitation to his lecture at the monthly ANS meeting, due to having to study for a promotional examination [May 16]
- Capt. Herbert H. Van Deusen would be happy to attend Belden’s reading of his paper on “American Insignia,” “a subject in which I have given some attention” [May 17]
- Hugo O. Greenhood: Sends a donation for the ANS Cabinet [Aug. 3]
- Valentine to Belden: Announces he is going on vacation, and that if any business should need “pressing attention” to please see to it. [Aug. 3]
- Horatio C. King: Again offers to donate the frequent medals and badges he receives to the ANS for “preservation” [Aug. 4]
- Hugo O. Greenhood: Still working to get badges from the G.A.R. [Aug. 20-22]
- Speech of ANS member Captain Champe S. Andrews, at Woolsey Hall, New Haven, at the Fourth Annual Assembly of Spanish War Veterans [Sep. 28]

1903

J. Sanford Saltus to Belden	RE: wanting him to read a paper	Jan. 3
" " "	Nam of Victor Brenner's paper	Jan. 5
Zabriskie to Belden	various business matters	Jan. 5
Drowne to Belden	RE: Salter's resignation	Jan. 8
Champe S. Andrews to Belden	cannot attned mtg.	Jan. 16
Wm. Poillon to Belden (2)	Greek coins for sale in Europe	Feb-Mar
Bailey Banks and Biddle	wants list of Soc. with insignia	May 7
Drowne to Belden	had 2 cases of typhoid fever	May 12
Wilbur Brown G.A.R. (3)	will ask military soc's to send badges	May 20
Hugo Greenhood	sends donation for cabinet	Aug. 3
H. C. King	has more badges for socity	Aug. 4
H. O. Greenhood (2)	still working to get badges	Aug20-22
A. T. Schaffler	resigns	Oct. 17

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JAN 3 AM '93

Chas. Gregory & Co.  
Stock and Bond Brokers.  
30 Broad Street.

New York.

JAN 2 1903

Mr Baumann L Belden  
Secty

Dear Mr. Belden

Will you kindly send me  
one of the Society's blanks to be  
filled in by an applicant for mem-  
bership in our Society, and I will  
be much obliged to you.

With best wishes of the Season  
& hoping to see you soon I am

Yours truly

Chas. Gregory.

Can you give me also a copy of  
the latest Constitution you  
have had printed.



Fifth Avenue Hotel.

Madison Square New York

Jan. 3<sup>d</sup> 1903

My dear Mr. Belden,

I send you the enclosed letter, as I think it must be for you, as I told you to do, you probably opened a letter directed to me while I was away, or you know it was for you.

I have been miserable with the grip, and have only been to the Society a few times during the last few weeks, and I have missed you every time. Before very long, perhaps next month, we may want you to read a paper. You have one ready have you not? Wishing you a Happy New Year,  
Yours most truly, *Sam'l May Jr.*

Fifth Avenue Hotel,  
Madison Square New York.

Jan. 5<sup>th</sup> 1913

My dear Mr. Belden,

Would you be so kind as to send me as soon as possible the name of the "Paper" read by Mr. Victor D. Brenner last spring in the old rooms. Send it to me here at the Fifth Avenue Hotel,

Yours in haste  
J. Maynard Schultz

JAN-7 1887



THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC AND ARCHÆOLOGICAL SOCIETY,

1271 BROADWAY,

NEW YORK.

52 Beaver Street

ANDREW C. ZABRISKIE,  
*President.*  
HENRY RUSSELL DROWNE,  
WOODBURY G. LANGDON,  
*Vice-Presidents.*  
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*Recording Secretary.*  
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*Corresponding Secretary.*  
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*Treasurer.*  
HERBERT VALENTINE,  
*Librarian.*  
EDWARD GROH,  
*Curator.*

January 5th 1903

Bauman L. Belden, Esq.,  
Recording Secretary,

841 Jersey Avenue,

Elizabeth, New Jersey.

Dear Mr. Belden:-

I have your letter of the 3rd instant with its enclosures and am glad to say that the letter to the Executive Committee contains an application for membership, together with a cheque.

Please call a meeting of the Executive Committee, at the residence of Woodbury G. Langdon Esq., 719 Fifth Avenue, on Monday the 12th instant, at 4.30 P. M.

As this is a time of day, which I know will render your attendance difficult, I would suggest that you come in to see me on either Wednesday or Thursday of this week to arrange for the report of the Executive Committee, which will have to be adopted at the meeting on the 12th.

I return herewith your draft for the notice of the annual meeting, which is all right, with the exception of one thing, which I think, should be changed this year. I have scratched out the words "ladies as well as gentlemen". We now have so many ladies on the roll, that it seems unnecessary to mention the fact that the lady guests are welcome.

I will communicate at once with Mr. Brenner in regard to the Wyckoff matter, and find out the facts in the case.

Sincerely yours,

*Andrew C. Zabriskie*

Presidnet

P.O. Box 1662.

*Lawrie, Mann & Drowne,*  
*Commission Merchants,*  
*61 Leonard St.*

*George F. Lawrie*  
*Frank Mann*  
*Henry R. Drowne*

*New York*, Jan. 8, 1903.

Mr. Bauman L. Belden,

Dear Sir:-

Your kind favor of the 7th just at hand, and remarks duly noted.

I do not think anything can be done in regard to the resignation of Mr. W.T. Salter, and would suggest that it be accepted, for the circumstances in regard to his join<sup>ing</sup> the Society were rather peculiar, as you may remember, for his wife put up his name as a member of the Society, and paid his initiation fees and annual dues, because she wanted him to become a member, as at the time she was interested in these meetings at which papers were read, and enjoyed coming to them, but as you are well aware we have had no papers this Fall, nor anything to bring them to the Society, furthermore they have moved way up town, so all things considered I think the best thing to do is to let him resign. Had we given him something to do we might have held him, for he is a man with plenty of time on his hands.

I note there is a meeting of the Executive Committee called at Mr. Langdon's residence on Monday next at 4.30 P.M., and I fear that this means that Mr. Langdon is still suffering from poor health, for which I am very sorry.

As this is our busy season, I fear that it will be impossible for me to attend, for I do not feel like being away from the store during business hours, so should I not be present, will you kindly tender my regrets to the Committee.

Very truly yours,

*Henry R. Drowne*



JAN 12 AM '03

NO 35 WALL STREET,  
NEW YORK.

January 9th, 1903

MR. BAUMAN L. BELDEN, Recording Secretary,  
American Numismatic & Archeological Society,  
847 Jersey Avenue, Elizabeth, N.J.

Dear Sir:-

Will you please give me the names of the members of the Medal Committee, as now constituted, with their respective addresses, so that Professor Hague, the Secretary of the Committee, can send out a notice for a meeting that I desire to have called prior to the meeting of the Society on the 19th instant.

Very truly yours,

*Edward D. Adams*

P.O. Box 462

JAN 13 AM '03

Laurie, Mann & Droune.  
Commission Merchants,  
61 Leonard St.

George F. Laurie.  
Frank Mann.  
Henry R. Droune.

New York, Jan 9 1903

My dear Mr Belden

Please find report herewith  
thought the form might be  
of interest to you, for I know  
you are always trying to show  
an improvement in our reports.

It looks business like to me.

Hoping you and yours are all  
quite well, remain

With regards

Yours very truly

Henry R. Droune

AR Drouin

Jan 9 1923

# Military Order of the Royal Legion of the United States

COMMANDERY OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

*Philadelphia Jan'y. 13th 1903*

Mr. B. L. Belden

My Dear Sir

Thanks for the courtesy of the invitation. We try  
to send the various badges from time to time.

Yours truly

*John P. Nichols*



Col. J. P. Nicholson

Jan 13 1703

CHAMPE S. ANDREWS  
37 LIBERTY STREET  
NEW YORK

January 16, 1903.

Mr. Bauman L. Beldon,  
Elizabeth, N. J.

Dear Sir:-

I am obliged for your invitation to be present at the Forty-fifth Annual Meeting of the Society on January 19th next.

I regret that I have another engagement which will prevent me from attending.

I note that the Society now meets at 1211 Broadway instead of the Academy of Medicine. I hope you find your new rooms pleasant and agreeable. Thanking you again for the invitation, I am,

Very truly yours,

*Champe S. Andrews*

Champs S Andrews

Jan 16 1953

N.Y. Feb 16 '03

Dear Mr Belden

There is to be sold soon in Europe a large and valuable collection of Louisre I am asked by a friend to give him the names of some prominent collectors.

Will you kindly help me out by giving me the addresses of those you know of

Sincerely

Mr Poillon



Wm. Pittman

Feb 16 1903

MAR 16 Ans'd

My mch 13/03

Dear Mr Belden

Not long ago you sent me the names of prominent collectors which I sent to the lady who desired the information

It appears the collection is rich in Old Gold Greek Coins - Who in the list you sent me are particularly interested in that line?

Do you know Mr Droune has been ill for the past 3 weeks. the worst is over and he has commenced to sit up but it will be a week or so before he can go out

Yours very truly

Wm Poillon

Wm Piilon

Nov 13 1903



HEADQUARTERS  
DEPARTMENT OF  
NEW YORK

# GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

MAR 24 Ans'd

ALLAN C. BAKEWELL, DEPARTMENT COMMANDER  
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OFFICE OF  
ASSISTANT ADJUTANT GENERAL

*Albany, N. Y., March 20th, 1890*

Mr. August L. Allen,

Chicago,

1871

NEW YORK CITY.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your letter of March 2nd, asking for names and addresses of Military Organizations, large and small, that may have distinctive badges, I beg to say that I do not know of any published list. The only way suggested to me, in which I can be of any service to your society, which I am very desirous of being, is to ask, in the General Orders to be issued in the near future by the G. A. R. of this Department, such societies or organizations as you describe to forward its badge to you for record and preservation, &c. If you approve of this plan please advise me.

Yours very truly,

*William F. Brown*

WILBUR F. BROWN



William F. Brown  
N.H. G.H. 707  
May 20 1902

April 10. 03

To the

Executive Committee.

The American Numismatic and Archæological Society.

1271 Broadway,

New York.

Please present my name for election as a  
life member of the American Numismatic and Archæ-  
ological Society.

W. G. Hammond

10 East 57 St

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Nomination

Wm. H. Havemeyer

Elected May 18-1863

40 East 25th Street,

New York City, N. Y.

April 27, 1903.

Bauman L. Belden, Esq.,

847 Jersey Ave.,

Elizabeth, N. J.

Dear Mr. Belden:-

Yours of the 23rd inst. at hand.

After a careful search I do not find any of the circulars  
you refer to. They must have all been distributed. I  
am very sorry this is so.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) George F. Kunz.

Per 

Gen. F. K. King

April 27 1903

MAY 15 Ans'd

DEPARTMENT OF INSIGNIA  
THE BAILEY BANKS & BIDDLE COMPANY  
GOLDSMITHS AND SILVERSMITHS,  
CHESTNUT & 12TH STREETS,  
PHILADELPHIA.

May 7th, 1903.

Mr. Bauman L. Belden,

Secy. Amer. Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

Broadway and 33rd Street, New York.

Dear Sir:-

We would esteem it a great favor if you would send us a list of the various patriotic and hereditary societies and the military and naval orders which have adopted an insignia, aside from those which we manufacture, as specified in pamphlet which we send you under separate cover. This information is desired in connection with a publication we are compiling which will contain a fac-simile of the various insignia.

Thanking you in advance for the courtesy, we remain,

Very truly yours,

The Bailey Banks & Biddle Co.

*Handwritten signature*



Baileys Bluffs Middle Is.

May 7. 1903

MAY 15 Ans'd

1700 Broadway N.Y.C.

May 12-1902

My dear Mr. Keller,

Have just received notice  
of meeting of May 18th but  
fear that I will have to  
forego the pleasure of being  
present.

I am just out of bed after  
a severe attack of typhoid  
fever, and consequently very  
weak and I fear that it  
will be quite some time  
before I shall be able to  
get about again as of old.  
I was first taken sick with  
typhoid fever on Feb. 18th  
and got out again after  
being housed for six weeks

After getting back to work  
for a couple of weeks I  
broke down again and  
developed a new case  
of typhoid much more  
severe than the first.

So you see I have had  
sort of a double dose and  
it has pulled me down  
to quite a low state.

However I hope to get down  
to the country in between  
2 & 3 weeks time and  
hope the change will be  
beneficial. I shall not  
be in quite such a hurry  
to get back to work this

time. Fortunately both my  
cases were mild ones and  
not attended with any  
serious complications.

I trust both Mrs Belden  
and yourself have been  
enjoying continued good  
health - and with kindest  
regards I remain

Yours very sincerely  
Henry R. Drown,

H Russell Brown

May 12 1903

Nº 35 WALL STREET.  
NEW YORK.

May 15th, 1903

Mr. BAUMAN L. BELDEN, Recording Secretary,  
American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,  
1271 Broadway, C i t y .

Dear Sir:-

I would thank you to send to this address any express or mail matter that you may receive, addressed to me at the rooms of the Society. I have been much inconvenienced by your retention of the letter my Secretary obtained from you last evening, and that I have been expecting for some time, wondering where it could be.

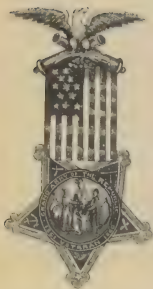
Yours truly,





Edward D. Adams

May 15 7 1888



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*Albany, N. Y., May 15th, 1903.* 190

Mr. Bauman L. Eelden,  
American Numismatic Society,  
1271 Broadway,  
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of the 14th, enclosing to me the original of the same, has  
not reached you. If any have not found you, or if you have not received  
me, and I will certainly place them in your hands.

Yours very truly,

*Wilbur F. Brown*

Asst. Adj. Gen.

William F. Brown  
and S. S. A. M.

May 15 1903

21 East 127th Street.

May 16th 1903.

Dear Mr. Blum:

I am sorry not to be able to  
accept your kind invitation for Monday  
night; for Tuesday will find me engrossed  
in an examination for promotion and  
I can not well spare the evening  
before for anything but "grinding".

If you can get an extra copy of the  
paper you will read I should be  
delighted to have one.

With kind regards & best wishes I am

Sincerely yours

Maxwell Fryberg.

Macdonald Sykes.

May 16 1903



THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC AND ARCHÆOLOGICAL SOCIETY.  
17 WEST 43<sup>d</sup> STREET, NEW YORK

May 18-1903

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that you were elected a member of this Society at a meeting held on the 18<sup>th</sup> inst., on the nomination of *the*  
*Executive Committee*

Kindly advise me of your acceptance, also if you desire to become a life member.

Very respectfully,

*J. Kenneth Olyphant*  
*Secy.*  
*Recording Secretary*  
*To Mr. F. Havemeyer Esq.,*  
*10 East 57<sup>th</sup> St., City.*

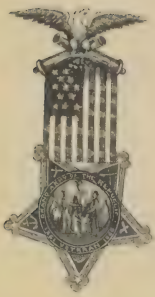
*I desire to become -*  
*life member.*

*W. F. Havemeyer*

Initiation fee.....	\$ 10.00
Annual dues (payable in advance).....	\$ 10.00
or	
Life membership fee (in lieu of initiation fee and all dues).....	\$100.00



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OFFICE OF  
ASSISTANT ADJUTANT GENERAL

*Albany, N. Y.,* May 22nd, 1908 *190*

Lawrence L. Bellows, Esq.,

1574 Broadway,

New York City.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge your letter of May 15th, and to say that you are at perfect liberty to use any portion of General Orders No. 7 referring to badges, &c., for registration &c., by the American Numismatic and Archaeological Society, in any manner beneficial to the Society and I am glad if I have been of any service to you.

Yours very truly,

*Wilbur F. Brown*

WILBUR F. BROWN

William F. Brown  
H.A.S. S.H.R. May  
May 22, 1903

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# Masonic Veteran Association

OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Organized August 20, 1879.

VEN. BRO. SIMON WOLF, PRESIDENT,  
926 F STREET N.W.

VEN. BRO. ALBERT H. VAN DEUSEN, SECRETARY,  
2207 M STREET N.W.

*Washington, D.C., May 17, 1903*

Mr. Bauman L. Belden,

New York City.

My Dear Sir:

It would afford me great pleasure could I be present on Monday evening next at the meeting of The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society and listen to the reading of your paper on AMERICAN INSIGNA, a subject in which I have given some attention.

I am sure you will do the subject great credit.

Thanking you for your kind invitation,

I have the honor to remain,

Yours respectfully,

*Albert H. Van Deusen*

Capt R H Lawrence

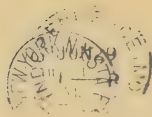
May 17 1903

Interference and  
June 29 1903

Proceeding, after our 45th Annual meeting  
next, for which I thank you. You had  
a regular meeting 2000 17 1902. Any action  
thereat. In matter sent you - notably 13. it C.  
design on which paper were made - that  
in Chicago, fine? Had to make paper sent you  
paper - they were the first - if they were of the  
design adopted by my Comm. of 3. - I'm thinking of  
M. Belun, & myself, (Ch. 2) - Did not know did  
B was leaving. With regards  
Given M. Belun.



May - 07m Wilson  
January 1903



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# HUGO O. GREENHOOD

## EXPORT COMMISSION MERCHANT

320 SACRAMENTO ST.

*San Francisco, Cal., U.S.A.* **AUG 3** - 1899 - 1900

The American Hellenistic and Archaeological Society.

No. 1271 Broadway.

New York.

Gentlemen;

I am enclosing a contribution for your Cabinet herewith, and if I can find any thing of interest during the Grand army reunion this month, I shall surely not forget you.

With kindest regards,

Yours Sincerely,

*Hugo O. Greenhood*

Hogreached  
Aug 3 1903

Dear Mr. Belden

I expect  
to be away on vacation  
until about the 20th  
inst. If you or Mrs.  
and anything should need  
pressing attention, will you  
kindly see to it, & advise

Yours  
Hubert Vinton

Capt 3rd

*Mr. Barrett L. Dilling*

New York, ..... 188

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

AMERICAN  
Numismatic and Archæological Society,  
New York University Building,  
WASHINGTON SQUARE.

*Please present my name as a .....*

*member of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society.*

NAME, .....

ADDRESS, .....

*Aug 2 1888*  
*Robert H. Allen*

AUG 7 Ans'd

HORATIO C. KING,  
COUNSELOR AT LAW,  
GERMANIA SAVINGS BANK BUILDING,  
375 FULTON STREET  
TELEPHONE NO.—1513 MAIN.  
HOUSE—5 MAIN.

BROOKLYN BOROUGH, N. Y. CITY, Aug 4<sup>th</sup> 1903

My dear Sir:

I am in frequent receipt of metal & silk badges such as I gave to you Society and am quite willing to turn them over to you if you deem them of sufficient value & interest for preservation. I mean to run in to the room the first time I am up that way.

Yours very truly  
H. C. King

B. S. Nelson  
N.Y.C.

Wm. H. King  
Aug. 1903



Cable Address "HOOD"

CODES  
WATKINS SCOTT'S LIEBERS  
A. I. A. B. C. 4th & 5th ED.  
ENGINEERING,  
WESTERN UNION AND  
PRIVATE CODES.



# HUGO O. GREENHOOD

EXPORT COMMISSION MERCHANT

320 SACRAMENTO ST.

*San Francisco, Cal., U.S.A.*

AUG 20 1883 190

Mr. Bauman L Belden.  
American Numismatic and Archaeological Society.  
No. 1271 Broadway. New York.

My dear Sir;

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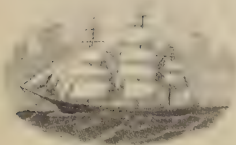
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Dear Mr. Belden;

I have not yet heard from Grand Army Headquarters, and do not expect to, until they clean up on the rush which they must necessarily have on their hands at present.

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Mr. B. L. Belden.

My dear Sir:

I find that my time will not allow me to attend any of the meetings of the Numismatic and Archaeological Society, nor will it indeed permit me even to visit the rooms as I had hoped to be able to do. This being the case, I hereby tender my resignation as member of the Society. I do not know whether I am in debt to the Association, but if I am, kindly let me know the amount and I will remit at once.

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Reprint from the NEW HAVEN LEADER, September 29, 1903.



EDWARD F. BARNES  
69 WEST 49TH STREET  
NEW YORK

October 25th, 1903.

Dear Sir:

An old soldier of the Union in the civil war, feels it a duty to preserve in permanent form the patriotic speech of Captain Champe S. Andrews recently delivered at New Haven, a copy of which is herewith enclosed.

It is a hopeful sign of the times when the men of a younger generation, particularly those of Southern ancestry, give such testimony to a re-united country, and advocate such a broad and liberal treatment of the negro question.

Captain Andrews is a candidate for the Assembly in the district where I have resided for 20 years, the 27th, and though I am a life-long Republican, I shall esteem it my privilege to cast a vote for him at this election, even though he is the Democratic candidate.

The issues involved in our State political questions are in a great measure independent of the fight for good government in New York City. Whatever may be our views of the campaign as it relates to our city, I am sure no Republican can object to his District being represented in Albany by a man of the character of Captain Andrews.

Very truly yours,

*Edward F. Barnes.*





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## FROM THE NEW HAVEN LEADER:

"The splendid speech made by Captain Champe S. Andrews of New York, Senior Vice Commander, Spanish War Veterans, in Woolsey Hall last evening won the enthusiastic approval of all who heard it, and is to-day the most discussed incident of the re-union.

"Captain Andrews is an orator of exceptional charm and ability. He has all the polish and magnetism that characterize the Sons of the South, those men of warm hearts and cultured minds. The son of a Confederate colonel who was a leading lawyer of the South, Captain Andrews, a New Yorker by adoption, is also a leading lawyer of the New York bar.

"Two years ago he was Democratic nominee for Assemblyman in Roosevelt's old Assembly District (now the 27th) and was defeated by 1,800 votes. One year ago, he was again the nominee and was defeated by only 300 votes. This year he is being urged to run again, and if he consents, his friends say he will certainly be elected, so great is his popularity, so genuine the respect in which he is held by his fellow men.

"It was intended to have Colonel M. Emmett Urell, Commander-in-Chief of the Spanish War Veterans, respond to the addresses of welcome delivered by the Mayor of New Haven, the Governor of Connecticut, and the President of Yale University. The serious illness of Colonel Urell prevented his appearance in New Haven this week, and Captain Andrews made this splendid response almost without preparation.

“THE SPEECH MADE BY CAPTAIN ANDREWS  
LAST EVENING FOLLOWS :

Mr. Chairman, Your Excellency, Mr. Mayor, Mr. President, Venerable Members of the Grand Army, Ladies, Gentlemen, and Comrades:

When Henry W. Grady, that illustrious spokesman for the South, was first called upon to address a New England audience, he rose to his feet and in one blunt sentence blurted out his gratitude for the privilege and honor of speaking to them, and then he said:

“I make this abrupt acknowledgment advisedly, for I feel that if when I raise my provincial voice in this ancient and august presence, I could find courage for no more than the opening sentence, it would be well if in that sentence I had met in a rough sense my obligation as a guest, and had perished, so to speak, with courtesy on my lips and grace in my heart.”

If I may humbly use the words of so great a master, permit me to say that Mr. Grady in those words has expressed my sentiments far better than I could hope to do in any words of my own.

You men of New England will never know the pleasure it gives one “born way down south in Dixie” to speak in these classic halls as the representative of an organization in which the simple test of membership is this: When your country called for volun-

teers in 1898 did you raise your right hand and utter the solemn pledge to defend these United States?

Men born in the heart of New England, in the land of Lexington and Bunker Hill, in the land that has never known but one flag, need not protest their patriotism. Your patriotic lineage can be traced as clearly as the apostolic succession; and it goes back in one unbroken line to the days of the Revolution and the trying times preceding that great struggle.

We of the South remember too that our forefathers stood side by side with yours in that grand struggle for liberty.

Linked forever with the great names of New England in the building of this republic are the names of Washington and Jefferson, true sons of Virginia. and if on Massachusetts soil the first gun was fired for American liberty it was at Yorktown where the struggle came to a glorious conclusion. Neither let it be forgotten that in the war of 1812 our forefathers were still fighting shoulder to shoulder. Again in the Mexican war it was the State of Tennessee that by its generous number of defenders of the flag won its royal title, "The Volunteer State."

But the next conflict brought the North and the South to a parting of the ways. A little more than a generation ago your fathers and mine found themselves in a death struggle. A new flag was flung to the southern breeze and for four long years the allegiance of the South wavered in the balance.

I am not here to-night to discuss the issues of that war, nor am I here either to rejoice or apologize for the position taken by my people in that conflict. My desire is merely to thank God that when the struggle came to an end, the flag of the republic still floated for "liberty and union, now and for ever, one and inseparable," and to further testify that the issue as finally settled by the appeal to the arbitrament of arms was accepted by the people of the South in a manly and courageous spirit. The questions settled by that war are now *res judicata* and the South has turned its face to a rising sun.

Just how gradually this change has come about and just what part the Spanish war played in the reconciliation, I can perhaps explain in no better way than by briefly relating the history of a memorial service in one of the typical cities of the South.

In a distant southern valley through which runs the river first called by the Indians "Tennessee," are two spots forever sacred to the American soldier. On one side of this valley rises a beautiful mountain famous in sweetest song and sublimest story, upon the sides of which "Fighting Joe Hooker" fought his famous "battle above the clouds." On the other side of the valley, cliff facing cliff, rises Missionary Ridge, up the side of which in November, 1863, Grant's army charged with such consummate valor. Midway in this valley of the shadow of Lookout Mountain are two cities of the heroic dead.

One of them rests upon a beautiful knoll set apart by the government of the United States as a burying ground for Federal soldiers. Almost as far as the eye can reach stretches an unbroken line of sod and flowers. Here and there primeval oaks and eternal pines keep silent guard over this bivouac of the dead.

On the gently sloping hillside, rising rank after rank, are the whitened marble slabs upon which are written the names and the regiments of the heroes who lie beneath. At night, when the pale moon looks down upon the serried ranks, it seems as if the Angel of Death had sounded his call for a grim and silent dress parade.

Over the archway which leads to this "eternal camping ground," these words are written, "Sacred to the memory of 13,000 Federal soldiers who died that their country might live."

Not a gunshot away lies another graveyard. I have the warrant of President McKinley for saying that it, too, is sacred to the American people, for in the city of Atlanta he said the grave of every Confederate soldier should be the nation's care. The graveyard of which I now speak is not as yet under the control of the Federal government. It is maintained by the loving care of the sons and daughters and comrades and friends of the men buried there. The individual graves are not marked, for alas, they belong to the great army of the unknown! One sim-

ple monument, reared in honor of them all, bears these eloquent words, "To our unknown Confederate dead."

Now I can remember as a lad, first hearing of Memorial day and learning what it commemorated. I can remember my father, with his veteran comrades of the Confederacy, marching once each year to the second graveyard, and I can remember how the wives and sons and daughters of those veterans went with them in a loving procession. It struck me as strange that another procession, this one clad in blue, should march for a part of the way over our line of march, and then when we came to the parting of the ways, it would continue on to the Federal cemetery. To my childish mind it seemed to me as if one procession could have done for them both. I wished that some day the gray and the blue would march together. The wish was a prophecy.

The Spanish war came and the call to arms that sounded throughout your New England hills reverberated as well in the dales of Tennessee. When troops from Connecticut and Maine reached Chickamauga and Tampa, the sons of Tennessee and Georgia, clad in the self-same blue, were there to greet them.

The short struggle, hardly more than a skirmish, which we now know as the Spanish war, came to an end, and then what a change in the memorial exercises! Now on Decoration day, the gray and the blue in



".....mutual well-beseeming ranks,  
March all one way."

Their sons and daughters, side by side, follow them. There is no parting of the ways, for they march to the same ground, to the same glorious music, and over them flies the same flag, and in their arms are the same sweet flowers of the South.

When the procession marches back to the city and the moon rises from behind the mountain, it looks down upon those silent graveyards, and lo! planted upon the grave of every soldier, Federal and Confederate alike, is a tiny flag of the republic planted there in sweet memoriam by former foes, now friends.

My comrades of the Spanish war, we realize all too well that the day is coming when there will be not one of our fathers left to decorate the graves of our patriotic dead, but in your names and in the name of our organization, I pledge the old soldier, be he of the blue or of the gray, that when they are gone their children and their children's children will never permit Memorial day to pass until their name and fame have been honored with a soldier's remembrance.

And perhaps in advancing this one object of our order, I have given a sufficient reason for the organized existence of the Spanish War Veterans. Perhaps I should be content with that, but the generosity and the good faith with which you have received my testimony to a reunited country leads me to believe

that your feelings come truly from the heart and that your sympathy for your brothers of the South is as genuine as it is hearty.

If this be true, then I plead for your sympathy with the South as she staggers under her burden that comes as an heritage from past generations. I say "the South" advisedly, for while it is true in one broad sense, as the president of Yale University has just told us, that there is no North nor South, in another sense there will, until the end of time, be a South, divided not only from the rest of the Union, but from the rest of the world—a South marked off and held together by the hand of God. Not a South divided by any political views of either the past or present, nor separated by any conflict of ideals as to the future; but a South differentiated from other sections of the country because upon the shoulders of her people has been placed a burden, the like of which no people have ever before been asked to carry. "Into hands still trembling from the blow that broke the shackles, was thrust the ballot. In less than twelve months from the day he walked down the furrow a slave, the negro dictated in legislative halls, from which Stephens and Calhoun had gone forth, the policy of twelve commonwealths."

The awful days that followed I shall pass over with the comment that had Uncle Abraham been spared to the people and his spirit prevailed, the horrors of reconstruction would never have been.

But come they did, and when endurance under such conditions was no longer possible, the yoke of negro domination was overthrown and the white people of the South came together in self-defense. With this first law of nature for their Constitution, the South must justify herself before all the world.

I cannot here discuss how the problem will be solved. In this city, where the power of mind over matter is demonstrated on every hand, let me say in passing that the stream of mental power and influence always flows from the mountains to the valleys. It never runs up hill. The child does not control the parent, nor the student instruct the lecturer. You must know that as long as the brain of the Anglo-Saxon continues superior to the brain of those with whom he comes in contact, so long will the white man of the South remain the master of the situation.

BUT WHATEVER WAY THE PROBLEM OF THE SOUTH BE SOLVED, AS GRADY WELL SAID, IT MUST BE SOLVED IN PEACE, BECAUSE RIOT MEANS DESTRUCTION; IT MUST BE SOLVED BY KEEPING THE RACES SEPARATE, BECAUSE AMALGAMATION MEANS DEBASEMENT, AND IT MUST BE SOLVED WITH EQUAL AND EXACT JUSTICE TO THE BLACK MAN, BECAUSE TO THIS WE ARE BOUND BY HONOR AND GRATITUDE.

The soldier of '98 knows what service the negro rendered at Santiago and we hope and believe that

the spirit which he showed on that battlefield is the spirit his race will show in assisting the white man in solving a problem, the just solution of which is as vital to the black man as to the white.

This organization of the Spanish War Veterans knows no political party, nor is it bound together for purposes other than those that are patriotic and humane. But by inculcating a broad and charitable spirit in which to view the nation's problems, I believe it is assisting the removal of the greatest dangers that lie in the pathway of the republic. It is because of that purpose and spirit of our society that I make bold to appeal to you to-night for your patience and sympathy in a situation that concerns in the end every one of these United States.

And I am glad that at this fourth assembly of the National Army and Navy, when we are still in a formative period, that we are privileged to meet in the city of New Haven, for in this city is an institution famous the world over for its democratic spirit.

At Yale University we know men are taught to solve problems, not in the heat of passion, but in the light of cold reason; and we know that from Yale men go forth into every quarter of the globe carrying the highest ideals of manhood and of citizenship.

I know that all the delegates to this assembly will return home to a greater or less degree under the influence of the Yale spirit, and for that reason better soldiers, better citizens and better men than when they entered New Haven.

EXTRACT FROM EDITORIAL COLUMNS  
NEW HAVEN LEADER :

"So long as the Spanish-American war veterans live the graves of the boys of '61 will not be neglected or forgotten, and the eloquent words in which Captain Andrews expressed the pledge to this effect will be echoed and re-echoed all over this great land, arousing the tenderest sentiments and resolutions in the heart of every Spanish-American war veteran whose services are thus enlisted.

"The uniforms of the blue and the gray to-day hang side by side in many households—silent but eloquent witnesses of the fact that Southern loyalty and Northern patriotism now enjoy the closest union of common brotherhood.

"The best orators of the nation, the brilliant Gordon, Grady and Watterson of the South, and the talented Foraker, Logan and Blaine of the North have pictured the new brotherhood of the nation, re-organized, reunited North and South, arousing their audiences to enthusiasm, in itself flattering evidence of appreciation, but not one of these ever succeeded in completely picturing the loyalty of the South and the brotherhood of all men of this nation as did Captain Andrews, this son of an old Confederate colonel, who wore the uniform of blue in the war which drove Spain from the Pearl of the Antilles.

"His auditors wept and cheered as this warm-hearted, gifted son of the South modestly, unostentatiously, uttered the words which so well described the sentiments of the South and so delicately consecrated the Vets of '98 to life service in perpetuating the memories of the Vets of '61."













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My dear Sir.

Yours of Nov 13 with check for \$10<sup>25</sup> is at hand. I fear that it will be a very difficult task, in obtaining the badge as I now find the maker is dead and no one is able to tell what has become of the bill. However I shall exert myself and have nothing but done in my efforts.

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